

PART 2

1. (Currently Amended) An apparatus which directly attracts marine crustaceans to a desired location, comprising:
 - (a) a watertight container;
 - (b) a storage means housed in said container for storing recorded sound of moving water;
 - (c) a sound transmission means housed in said container for transmitting said recorded sound from said desired location; and
 - (d) a power supply housed in the container for supplying power to said storage means and said sound transmission means, whereby marine crustaceans are directly attracted by said recorded sound to the desired location.
2. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 10 wherein said marine crustacean is a lobster.
3. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 2 wherein said desired location is a lobster trap.
4. (Currently Amended) A method of attracting marine crustaceans to a desired location comprising emitting from said location a recorded sound of moving water, whereby said marine crustaceans are directly attracted by said recorded sound to the desired location.
5. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 4 wherein said marine crustacean is a lobster.
6. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 5 wherein said desired location is a lobster trap.

7. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 1, wherein the apparatus additionally comprises an external switching means for activating sound transmission prior to or during placement of the apparatus at the desired location and for deactivating sound transmission following removal of the apparatus from the desired location, which external switching means is on the exterior surface of the container and is operationally associated with the power supply.

8. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 7, wherein said external switching means is a manual switching means.

9. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 7, wherein said external switching means comprises electrical contact points that are wired to the power supply to form a partial electrical circuit and wherein submersion of the apparatus in water completes the electrical circuit and activates sound transmission.

10. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 1 wherein said sound is the recorded sound of waves, current or tidal shift impact on natural marine geological features.

11. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 1 wherein said sound is the recorded sound of water gurgling or splashing through a vent in a lobster containment area.

12. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 11 wherein said marine crustacean is a lobster.

13. (Previously Presented) The apparatus of claim 12 wherein said desired location is a lobster trap.

14. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 4 wherein said sound is the recorded sound of waves, current or tidal shift impact on natural marine geological features.

15. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 4 wherein said sound is the recorded sound of water gurgling or splashing through a vent in a lobster containment area.

16. (Previously Presented) The method of claims 14 wherein said marine crustacean is a lobster.

17. (Previously Presented) The method of claims 16 wherein said desired location is a lobster trap.

18. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 15 wherein said marine crustacean is a lobster.

19. (Previously presented) The method of claim 18 wherein said desired location is a lobster trap.